

Year 2 – Autumn 2 Newsletter

Hello from year 2!

Can you believe it is nearly December and we only have few weeks to go before Christmas! Here is some news of things happening in year 2 at the moment:

Clothing

As we head in to chillier weather, please could we ask you to layer up the children's clothes!

We are still having the windows and sometimes doors open to create good circulation. The children have been amazing coping with the changes in the classroom and we are saying they can wear extra layers to keep cosy!



Many thanks!

Reading

Thank you for all your help in getting to grips with our new reading books. It is noticeable when the children read their books at home, how fluent they become when reading in class. We hope they are enjoying the new storybooks too. Please can we make sure their book folders are returned on a Monday so we can give you the new books.

Many thanks!

English

In English, we are doing so well and have seen some amazing story writing following reading our book by Lauren Childs, giving her version of Goldilocks.

The children wrote a story about the character when they had grown up and met each other again. It was great fun!



As we approach that time of year, our new book will be about something Christmassy! I

Maths!

This half term we are learning all about addition and subtraction in maths. We have been trying all sorts of different methods to help us!

Ask your children about the empty number line and how we use it to help us calculate!

Thank you to those of you who had a go at the column addition! How grown up are we?

Some good websites to try:

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning>

<https://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/index.html>

And don't forget Maths Whizz! Well done to all those whizzing away!

Foundation subjects

This half term we are learning all about villages, towns and cities and how the population is spread across the world and the UK. Ask the children how many people are on our planet! They were amazed!

We are also learning about the Nativity in RE. Sadly, there will be no church production this year but we will be posting a photographic nativity on our website!

Wish us luck!



Google Classroom

Thank you all of you helping us get to grips with Google classroom. We hope it is working well for you?

We think it is a great way to stay in touch during these strange times and really appreciate you using it.